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ABSTRACT

A contactor includes a housing lower section housing a solenoid mechanism, a main contact and a housing upper section, for housing main terminals and a connector module including control terminals which may be connected to the solenoid coil of the solenoid mechanism. The housing upper section includes a recessed step to the front of a housing side, in which the connector module may be fixed. The control terminals are located facing the housing front in front of the plane of the main terminals. Connector lines extending into the main housing from the connector module connect the control terminals to the control pins, connected to the solenoid coil and located in the housing lower section.